

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Igor Dimitriesich Polyakov, et al) Confirm. No.: 5045
Serial No.: 10/828,790) Art Unit: 1645
Filed: April 21, 2004) Examiner: Minnifield, Nita M.
For: DERMATOMYCOSIS VACCINE
Docket No.: 3/400-5-C5

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE

Sir:

This is in response to a communication from the Examiner in charge of the subject application which communication was mailed on January 25, 2006. In that Office Action, a three-month shortened statutory period was set for response. Applicants hereby petition for the necessary extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 to respond to that action and note that the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) in connection with this Reply will be paid during electronic filing via the Revenue Accounting and Management System. Furthermore, if it is determined that any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17 are due in connection with this amendment, authorization to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2955 is provided during electronic filing via the Revenue Accounting and Management System.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page two (2) of this paper.

Remarks begin on page six (6) of this paper.

An **Appendix** follows the paper containing Exhibits A, B and C.